

Pomme (singer)

Claire Isabelle Geo Pommet (born August 2, 1996), known professionally as **Pomme** (French: [pɔ̃m]) is a French singer, songwriter and musician.

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Biography

Claire Pommet grew up in the Lyon area. She learned music theory from the age of 6, joined a children's choir, La Cigale de Lyon, at age 7 and learned to play the cello at age 8.^[1] Her mother, teacher and believer, plays the flute; her father, a real estate agent, listened to Michel Polnareff, Serge Reggiani and Charles Aznavour; and is the father of a friend who presented it to the public and makes her known in the United States.^{[1][2]} She is self-taught and publishes videos on the YouTube web platform.

In September 2017, at the age of 21, she performed for the first time four times at La Boule noire in Paris. In October she released her first chanson française album, titled *À peu près*; it is described as a mixture between pop and folk according to Salome Rouzerol-Douglas by *Le Figaro*; it is "very encouraging", considers Gilles Renault de *Libération*; while Marie-Catherine Mardi of RFI considers that "the lyrics does not convince [in its entirety]" but praises her voice.^{[1][2][3][4][5]} The journalists of *Libération* and *Le Figaro* emphasize the quality of her live performances, during which she particularly plays the automatic harp and the guitar.

Pomme performed in the first part of the Asaf Avidan tour in autumn 2017.^[5] In February 2018, she performed at the Café de la Danse in Paris, after having performed as an opening act for Louane and Vianney,^[3] then took the stage in La Cigale in mid-2018 and in La Trianon in early 2019.^[6]

The lyrics she writes and composes and half of the repertoire she interprets, often evoke themes related to love, death and "everyday situations that resort to romanticism" (*Le Figaro*).^{[1][3]} Love, in her lyrics, is not only heterosexual, but also bisexual or homosexual; she dedicates a song to Quebec singer Safia Nolin, who used to be her partner.^[1] She explains to *Télérama*: "I am naturally comfortable with my homosexuality, for example, using female pronouns in my songs. And I think it's important, given the amount of thank you messages I get. As a teenager, I would have also liked to recognize myself in lesbian singers".^[6]

Pomme	
Born	August 2, 1996 Lyon, France
Occupation	Singer • songwriter • musician
Musical career	
Genres	Chanson • folk rock
Instruments	Vocals • guitar • autoharp • cello • omnichord • glockenspiel • double bass
Years active	2015–present
Labels	Polydor
Website	pommemusic.fr (http://pommemusic.fr)

Discography

Studio albums

Title	Details	Peak chart positions		
		FR [7]	BEL (Wa)[8]	AUT [9]
<i><u>À peu près</u></i>	- Released: October 6, 2017 - Label: <u>Polydor</u> - Formats: <u>CD</u>, <u>digital download</u>, <u>streaming</u>, <u>vinyl</u>	91	200	—
<i><u>Les failles</u></i>	- Released: November 1, 2019 - Label: Polydor - Formats: digital download, streaming, vinyl	—	68	87

Extended plays

Title	EP details
<i><u>En cavale</u></i>	- Released: January 1, 2016 - Label: Polydor - Format: CD, digital download, streaming
<i><u>A Peu Près - Sessions Montréalaises</u></i>	- Released: April 21, 2018 - Label: Polydor - Format: vinyl

Singles

Title	Year	Peak chart positions	Album
		BEL (Wa) ^[8]	
"Okay" (Matthieu Mendès feat. Pomme)	2013	57	<i>Echo</i>
"J'suis pas dupe"	2015	66	<i>En Cavale</i>
"Même robe qu'hier"	2017	76	<i>À peu près</i>
"Mon frère" (Rough Version)	2018	—	Non-album single
"De là-haut" (Radio Remix)		—	<i>À peu près</i>
"J'attends" (feat. Ben Mazué)		—	<i>Les femmes idéales</i>
"2019"	2019	—	Non-album single
"Je sais pas danser"		—	<i>Les failles</i>
"Anxiété"		—	

Music videos

Title	Year	Album	Director(s)
"J'suis pas dupe"	2015	<i>En cavale</i>	Sébastien Brodart
"Je t'emmènerais bien"		Non-album single	
"En cavale"		<i>En cavale</i>	
"Jane & John"			
"Sans toi"	2016		
"De là-haut"	2017	<i>À peu près</i>	Marta Bevacqua
"A Lonely One"			
"On brûlera"			
"Pauline"			
"Je sais pas danser"	2019	<i>Les failles</i>	Vladimir Féral
"Anxiété"			Hugo Pillard

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